

PATENT
TH1935

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/841,490
 Confirmation No.: 3750
 Filing Date: April 24, 2001
 Inventors: Wellington et al.
 Title: IN SITU THERMAL
 PROCESSING OF A
 HYDROCARBON
 CONTAINING FORMATION
 TO PRODUCE
 HYDROCARBONS HAVING
 A SELECTED CARBON
 NUMBER RANGE

§ Examiner: G. A. Suchfield
 § Art Unit: 3672
 § Atty. Dkt. No.: 5659-01100/EBM
 §
 §
 §
 §
 §
 §
 §
 §
 §

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8 DATE OF DEPOSIT: 8-13-03 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22312-1450 Jackie L. Pile

#29 Razdon
 RCE
 E. H. H. H.
 10/22/03

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
 (under 37 CFR § 1.114)

This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of application number 09/841,309, filed on April 24, 2001, entitled IN SITU THERMAL PROCESSING OF A HYDROCARBON CONTAINING FORMATION TO PRODUCE HYDROCARBONS HAVING A SELECTED CARBON NUMBER RANGE.

Inventors:	Wellington et al.
Examiner:	G. A. Suchfield
Art Unit:	3672
Assignee:	Shell Oil Company
Recorded at:	Reel 012237, Frame 0271
Correspondence Address in Prior Application:	Del Christensen Shell Oil Company P.O. Box 2463 Houston, Texas 77252-2463

OFFICIAL

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

OCT 14 2003

Application Elements1. ☒ Filing Fee

A Fee Authorization Form authorizing a deposit account debit for the RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(c) is enclosed.

2. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

3. Amendments

☒ An amendment is enclosed.

☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.

☐ Please consider the arguments in the response filed on ____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.

☐ Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief filed on ____.

RCE

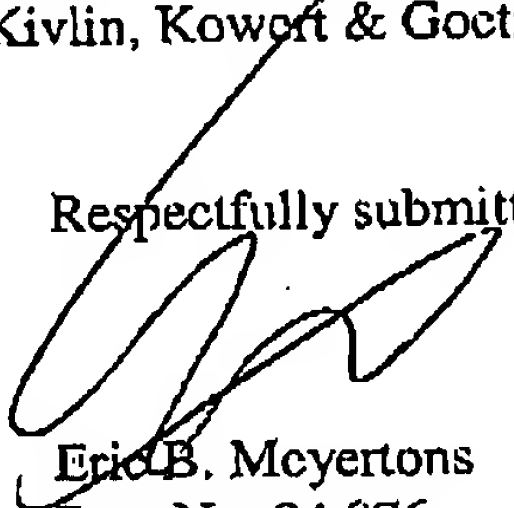
1

Inve. s: Wellington et al.
Appl. Ser. No.: 09/841,490
Attr. Dkt. No.: 5659-01100

5. ☐ Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for Extension of Time
6. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzl, P.C., Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5659-01100/EBM.

Respectfully submitted,


Eric B. Meyertons
Reg. No. 34,876

Attorney for Applicant

MEYERTONS, HOOD, KIVLIN, KOWERT & GOETZEL, P.C.
P.O. BOX 398
AUSTIN, TX 78767-0398
(512) 853-8800 (voice)
(512) 853-8801 (facsimile)

Date: 8-13-03

PATENT
TH1935

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/841,490
Confirmation No.: 3750
Filing Date: April 24, 2001
Inventors: Wellington et al.
Title: IN SITU THERMAL
PROCESSING OF A
HYDROCARBON
CONTAINING FORMATION
TO PRODUCE
HYDROCARBONS HAVING
A SELECTED CARBON
NUMBER RANGE

100

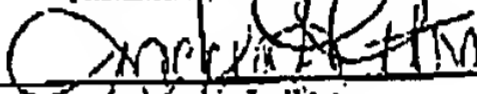
Examiner: G. A. Suchfield
Art Unit: 3672
Atty. Dkt. No.: 5659-01100/EBM

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8

DATE OF DEPOSIT: 8/3/83

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with
the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first
class mail on the date indicated above and is addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22305-1430



Jackie L. Pitts

FEE AUTHORIZATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Shell Oil Co.

Deposit Account Number 19-1800/TH1935:

1. Request for Continued Examination Fee	\$750.00
--	----------

TOTAL AMOUNT: **\$750.00**

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fee or other fees that may be necessary to the same account number. If the above-mentioned account is found to have insufficient funds, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account Number 50-1505/5659-01100/EBM.

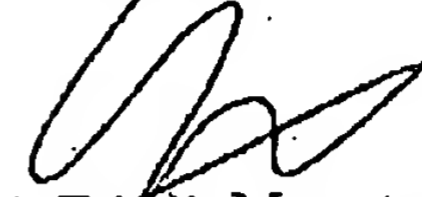
OCT-13-2003 MON 05:14 PM

FAX NO.

P. 05

entors: Wellington et al.
Appl. Ser. No.: 09/841,490
Att. Dkt. No.: 5659-01100

Respectfully submitted,



Eric B. Meyertons
Reg. No. 34,876

Attorney for Applicant

MEYERTONS, HOOD, KIVLIN, KOWERT & GOETZEL, P.C.
P.O. BOX 398
AUSTIN, TX 78767-0398
(512) 853-8800 (voice)
(512) 853-8801 (facsimile)

Date: 8/13/03

Fcc Authorization

Page 2

Received from < > at 10/13/03 6:14:37 PM [Eastern Daylight Time]



MEYERTONS
HOOD
KIVLIN
KOWERT
& GOETZEL

A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION

PATENTS, TRADEMARKS, COPYRIGHTS & UNFAIR COMPETITION

700 LAVACA, SUITE 800
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701
TELEPHONE (512) 853-8800
FACSIMILE (512) 853-8801

FAX

To: Edith Harris

From: Mark R. DeLuca/jlp

Fax: 703-872-9306

Pages: 21 (including cover sheet)

Our Ref: 5659-01100

Date: October 13, 2003

Phone: 512-853-8800

Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/841,490 Entitled: "IN SITU THERMAL PROCESSING OF A HYDROCARBON CONTAINING FORMATION TO PRODUCE HYDROCARBONS HAVING A SELECTED CARBON NUMBER RANGE" - Wellington et al.

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTE

OCT 14 2003

Pursuant to your request, please see attached copies of the Request for Continued Examination, Fee Authorization, Amendment: Remarks and a copy of the return postcard for the above-referenced patent.

OFFICIAL

If I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Thank you.

THIS FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL AND THE DOCUMENTS ACCOMPANYING THIS FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL CONTAIN CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION INTENDED ONLY FOR THE USE OF THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE. IF YOU ARE NOT THE INTENDED RECIPIENT YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT THIS COMMUNICATION MAY BE SUBJECT TO THE ATTORNEY-CLIENT OR WORK-PRODUCT PRIVILEGE AND THAT THE DISSEMINATION, DISTRIBUTION OR COPYING OF THIS COMMUNICATION IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS COMMUNICATION IN ERROR, PLEASE IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY US BY TELEPHONE (COLLECT) TO ARRANGE FOR RETURN OF THE DOCUMENTS. RECEIPT BY ANYONE OTHER THAN THE INTENDED RECIPIENT IS NOT A WAIVER OF ANY ATTORNEY-CLIENT OR WORK-PRODUCT PRIVILEGE.